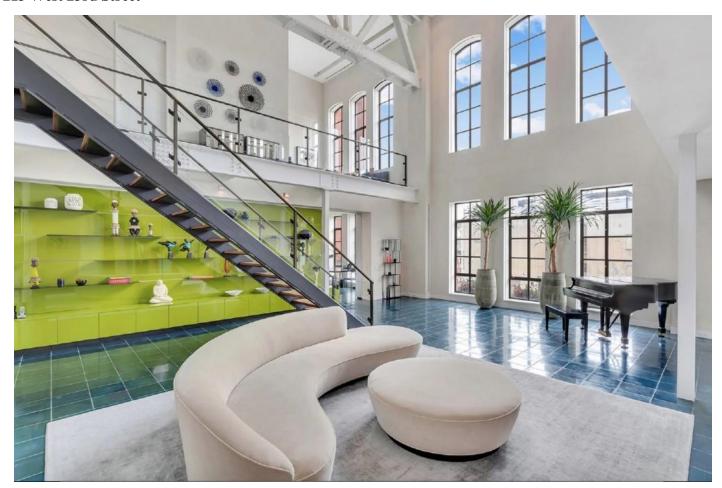
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These Gymnasiums Around The World Are Now High-Design Homes And We're Seriously Impressed

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Who doesn't love soaring ceiling heights and large windows? We certainly do. In fact, some of the most jaw-dropping homes we've seen have been transformed from recreational spaces to high-end design homes. The benefit of using unconventional structures are the quirky and unique interior details, which are often highlighted by designers to become the focal point of the home. Here are six gymnasiums turned exceptional residences around the world that have us in awe.

213 West 23rd Street



Courtesy 213 West 23rd Street

A 7,000-square-foot, four-bedroom home at 213 West 23rd Street in Chelsea, New York City, is the former YMCA McBurney branch gymnasium. Designed by Annabelle Selldorf and Jeffrey Beers, the converted space features a central glass-enclosed walnut staircase, 29-foot ceilings and an abundance of natural light.